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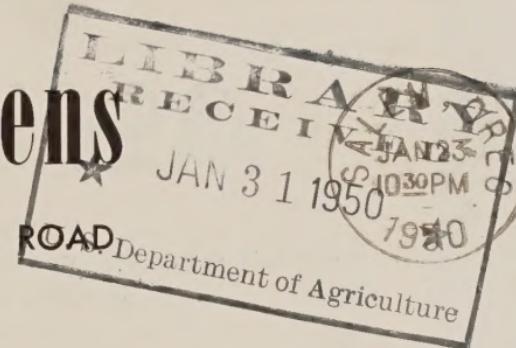
WEEKS Gladiolus Gardens



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Gladiolus
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GLADIOLUS FOR 1950

ABU HASSAN (K. & M.). Beautiful rich violet blue, with buds showing darker and slight fine penciling in throat. Five open on a tall, slender, but stiff spike. About the color, but very much better than the old variety Pelegrina.

ALGONQUIN (Palmer). Early, brilliant glowing scarlet. Opens six to eight wide ruffled needle point blooms on tall, well placed spike. Nice cut flower quality.

ASTRID (Jack). Clear, medium rose with narrow throat line. Opens five to seven florets which are slightly ruffled. Looks like a fine new addition to this color class and a grand cut flower.

ATHLONE (Palmer). Clear warm flesh color. Opens up to 10 well placed florets arranged in ideal formal style. Exceptionally good for dainty floral work. You will be well pleased with this one.

ATLAS (Pfitzer). A dark blue violet. Close to Elks purple in color. Five to seven open. A fine variety to mix with yellow in bouquets or baskets.

BEACON (Palmer). Tall salmon scarlet with cream throat. Six to eight well placed florets on long willowy spike. An excellent cut flower.

BENISON (Palmer). White tinted lavender. Medium sized blooms with eight to 10 open on a nice straight spike. A good keeper and an excellent cut flower variety.

BENJAMIN BRITTON (K. & M.). Very deep lavender with small white lines. Very beautiful and should make a grand cut flower. A very heavy propagator and bulblets germinate well, growing into large bulbs the first year. You will like this new one.

BERNADETTE (Silva). A beautiful flesh pink sport of Picardy. Tall strong grower. Opens six to eight beautiful blooms on a tall spike. Similar to Picardy in habits except much taller and stronger, with color clearer and more beautiful.

BLACK OPAL (Errey). Dark glistening red. Probably the most popular of the really dark reds. Makes a tall willowy spike with up to 10 well placed blooms. Does not crook but sometimes bends from weight of heavy flower head.

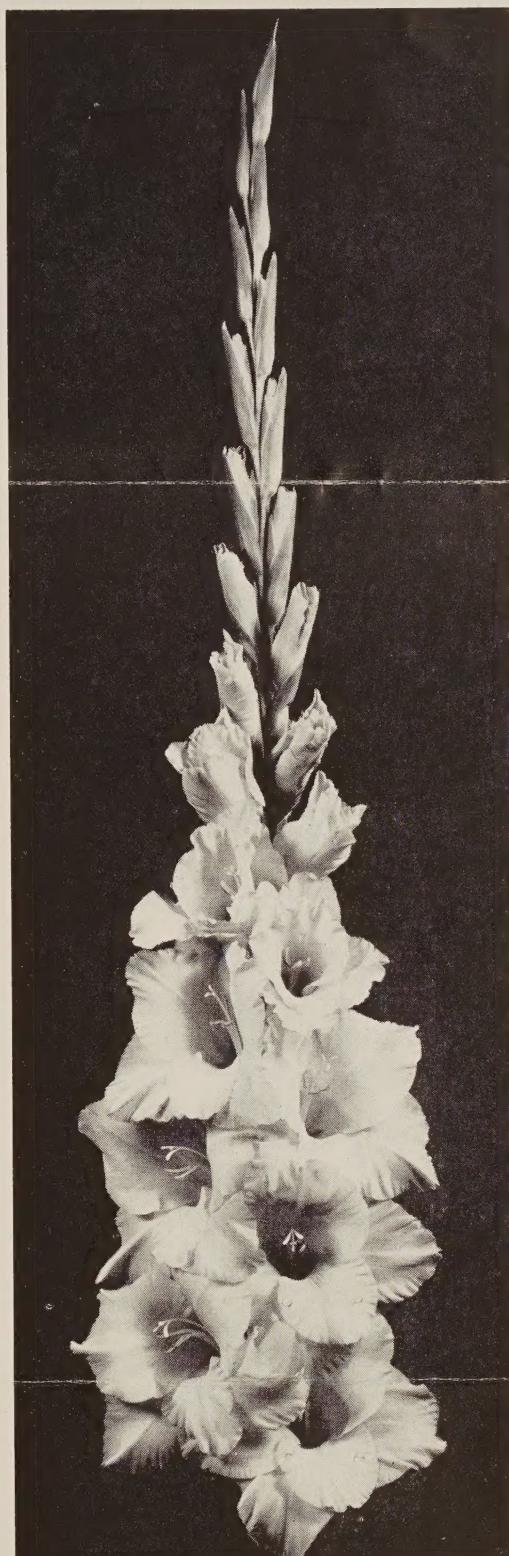
BLUE BEAUTY (Pfitzer). A tall growing light blue with edges of petals overlaid violet blue. Probably the most popular of the blues. Has six to eight well placed wide open florets of fine form.

BUENA VISTA (Pruitt-Majeski). An immense rose purple attaining a height of five feet with eight to 10 six-inch florets open at once. Blooms nicely attached and well placed. A wonderful exhibition variety on account of its huge size and color. Does not fade from heat or sun like many of similar colors and is a good cutter and keeper. You will adore this variety.

BURMA (Palmer). Very deep, heavily ruffled rose, somewhat lighter in the upper throat and shading to a beautiful darker blotch on the lip. Opens seven or more on a medium height spike and flowers are of very heavy texture. Creates great interest either on the show table or in the garden. Especially popular with the ladies.

CANDY HEART (Salbach). Pure flesh pink with a large blotch of light carmine. Opens five to seven well placed flowers on medium height spike. Well liked in the garden and very popular as a cut flower.

CASABLANCA (Majeski). An excellent, very ruffled outstanding white. Medium sized florets on a tall straight spike. Valuable as an early bloomer and its fine qualities as a cut flower.



SPIC AND SPAN

CHAMOUNY (Baerman). A distinct shade of deep rose shading to lighter color on edge of petals. Opens up to 10 blooms on a tall spike. Always popular with the cut flower trade as it is really beautiful.

COMMANDO (Palmer). Clear light scarlet. Somewhat darker than the popular variety Valeria but much larger. Opens six to eight well placed blooms on a tall, slender but stiff stem. An excellent cut flower.

CONVOY (Palmer). About the nearest to a clear true purple. Opens up to seven blooms with rolled back petals giving it a round effect. Should be a very popular variety when better known.

DIEPPE (Hassall). Deep salmon red with darker blotch. Very distinctive and grand color and destined to become one of the finest varieties in its color as a cut flower or for exhibition. Opens five to seven on slender but stiff spike with florets somewhat waved and ruffled. You will love this one.

ELIZABETH THE QUEEN (White). Beautiful lavender with darker lines in throat. Large ruffled blooms with seven or eight open. It is beyond question the best commercial lavender to date and very popular with all glad lovers. An excellent keeper when cut. Rather short from small bulbs but stretches to good height from larger ones. No garden complete without this outstanding variety.

ERREY'S SCARLET (Errey). Clear scarlet with a distinct shade with two darker spots on the lower petals. Opens up to 14 florets with the balance of the bud showing color.

EVANGELINE (Palmer). A fine new very light rose pink with a creamy yellow throat. Grows to a huge size with plants up to six feet. Opens eight to nine fine ruffled blooms on a long, stretchy stem. The only fault we can find is its tendency to come misplaced.

ETHEL CAVE COLE (Cave). Early pure light pink shading to cream in the throat. Often comes flecked which doesn't distract from its beauty. Opens six to nine well placed florets on medium height spike with heavy flower head. Very popular as a cut flower.

FAIR ANGEL (Hatch). Cream white shading to a deeper cream in the throat. Opens up to eight large, wavy, well placed blooms on a tall spike and is an early bloomer. Very valuable as an early cut flower and fine florist variety. An excellent cream for your home garden. You will like it.

FIREBRAND (Butt). A nice medium red that fairly glistens like velvet. Slightly darker in throat with white lines on lower petals. Very straight, medium tall spike with eight or more open and many more showing color. One of the better newer reds. We can recommend it highly.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE (Harris). One of the finest of the new whites. Up to eight blooms open on a tall, straight spike. Considered a grand commercial and show flower by all the growers and destined to be one of the best in its color.

GENERAL EISENHOWER (Salman). A huge, brilliant begonia rose. Opens five to seven florets up to seven inches across, with most of the remaining buds showing color. Very tall grower, but doesn't seem to stand extreme heat very well.

GENGHIS KAHN (Scheer). A heavily ruffled medium light pink blending to a light cream throat. Opens six to seven nice sized blooms on a medium height plant. Should become very popular both for exhibition and cutting.

GOLDEN ARROW (Pruitt). Pure pastel yellow with no markings or greenish cast to buds. Nice tall spike with five to eight florets open. Good propagator and a strong grower.

GRENADIER (Palmer). A new and distinctive shade of orange buff. Makes a fine spike with seven to eight open on a tall spike. An excellent variety and a well worthwhile one to add to your collection.

HUNTRESS (Jack). Extremely early light pinkish lavender. Sometimes blooms come flecked but has been popular since introduction on account of its earliness and cut flower value. Opens six to eight well placed blooms on a medium height spike. You will want to add this one to your collection.

J. V. KONYNENBURG (K & M). Rich glowing vermillion red. One of the finest of the more recent introductions from Holland. Opens up to eight well placed blooms on a tall spike. Should become a very popular commercial variety and exhibition flower.

KING CLICK (Wilson). A very bright scarlet and one of the best in its color. Makes a very tall spike on large plant with six to eight open blooms. Florets not always well placed but fine as an exhibition or cut flower variety.

LADY JANE (Lake). A clear deep cream with yellow lip petals making it a variety that can be used either as a cream or a yellow. Has a good habit of blooming over a period of three or four weeks from a given size bulb, which makes it especially valuable as a cut flower. Tall, sturdy, well placed spike. A real garden variety and wins many ribbons at the shows.

LANCASTER (Palmer). Clear dark purple with up to 10 lightly ruffled blooms open on a tall straight spike. Probably one of the best of the purple shade. A show winner and should make a good commercial.

LANTANA (Palmer). Orange shading through orange salmon to a golden throat. A very distinct and bright color and an early variety.

Spike rather short but with good placement and seven to nine florets open.

LEADING LADY (Johnston). Cream white sport of Picardy. Becoming one of the best whites for a cut flower and winning many ribbons at all the shows. An extremely good keeper and a variety all should grow. Don't be alarmed if you have a two or three per cent reversion to Picardy in this variety. It is not a mixture but simply a small per cent of the variety will revert back to its original parent.

LIPSTICK (Ballantine). Beautiful ruffled shell pink with bright red rose plumes in throat. Nice large florets on a tall, straight spike and really very outstanding. Has been overlooked for several years and suddenly discovered to be one of the best pinks we have.

MALTA (Palmer). Beautiful begonia rose. Opens six to seven huge wide open blooms. Not very tightly attached to spike but keeps well when cut. Quite popular with the ladies.

MARGUERITE (Pommert). Popular watermelon pink. Fine as an early or late cut flower. Five to seven open on a tall spike and heavy plant. Not too good when bloomed in extremely hot weather.

MEMOIR (Palmer). Creamy blush pink with large showy crimson blotch in throat. About five open on a medium height spike. Immediately attracts attention where shown either in the field or on the show table.

MINSTREL (Palmer). Probably the largest lavender to date. Five open on a medium spike with huge florets up to seven inches. Rather a slow increaser as does not make many bulbils and propagation only fair.

MISS WISCONSIN (Krueger). Beautiful new shade of lavender rose. Distinct and different and becoming very popular wherever seen. Opens six to eight well placed florets on medium height spike. Rather late bloomer. Your garden won't be complete without this one.

MOTHER KADEL (Kadel). A good clear yellow with florets not too large but very attractive. Considered one of the best in its color. Good as a cutter or home garden.

MRS. MARK'S MEMORY (K. & M.). Large deep rose with carmine blotch on lower petals. Makes a huge spike with seven open. Blooms rather loosely attached to spike but still very attractive.

MYRNA FAY (Lines). Rich orchid lavender with eight to 10 open on a straight sturdy spike. Opens well when cut in tight bud and should be a fine addition to the lavender class.

NEW EUROPE (K. & M.). Vivid light orange red. Opens six to eight large blooms on a tall husky spike. Color very good and an excellent commercial.

OCTOBER SUNSHINE (Quackenbush). A new orange blending to a golden yellow throat. Six open on a tall well placed spike. Good strong grower on a husky plant. One of the most outstanding.

PICARDY (Palmer). The old reliable salmon pink that everyone knows. More widely grown than any other variety.

standing new ones we have grown for several years and no doubt will make a grand commercial and home garden variety. You will like it.

ORANGE GOLD (Marshall). Clear rich beautiful medium dark orange gold. Becoming very popular as a home garden and commercial variety. Four to six open on a tall straight spike. Very good.

OREGON GOLD (Majeski). Medium yellow on outer edges blending to a deeper yellow in the throat. Nine to 10 large ruffled florets on a tall spike. Rather late bloomer. A leading commercial.

ORIENTAL PEARL (Carlson). The giant of the cream class. Opens four to five huge six-inch florets on a tall well placed spike. The finest of the ivory cream class and one of the most haves. Super in the garden or on the show table.

PICARDY (Palmer). The old reliable salmon pink that everyone knows. More widely grown than any other variety.

WEEKS WHOLESALE PRICE LIST FOR 1950

GLADIOLUS PRICES F.O.B. SALEM, OREGON—All bulbs listed are priced f.o.b. Salem with transportation charges collect. Not less than 25 bulbs at the 100 rate; 5 at 10 rate; 200 at 1000 rate. Where bulbs are not listed by 10, add 10% to 100 rate to obtain price.

SAVE ON TRANSPORTATION—Carloads leave Salem, Oregon, about February 15th for distribution from Chicago only. Second carload leaving Salem about March 15th for distribution from Chicago and Trenton, New Jersey. Third carload leaving Salem about April 15th for distribution from Chicago and Trenton, New Jersey. We can include orders amounting to \$20.00 or over, or 100 pounds weight for reshipment from these points. List prices are PREPAID to distribution points of Chicago or Trenton. Be sure to take advantage of this big MONEY SAVING offer.

Variety	Per	Size 1	Size 2	Size 3	Size 4	Size 5	Size 6	Bulblets		Variety	Per	Size 1	Size 2	Size 3	Size 4	Size 5	Size 6	Bulblets	
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Abu Hassan	100	\$ 6.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 4.00	\$ 3.20	\$ 2.60	\$ 2.00	\$	\$	Malta	100	3.80	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	2.50	15.00
Algonquin	1000	.....	25.00	20.00	15.00	10.00	5.00	.....	12.00	Marguerite	100	3.80	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	2.50	15.00
Astrid	10	.....	1.80	1.50	1.20	1.00	.80	50.00	.....	Memoir	100	10.00	8.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	25.00	.....
Athlone	100	6.20	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.20	1.40	.....	90.00	Minstrel	10	1.00	.90	.80	.70	.60	.50	.....	.....
Atlas	1000	50.00	40.00	32.00	25.00	18.00	12.00	15.00	90.00	Miss Wisconsin	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.40	1.80	12.00	75.00
Beacon	100	3.60	2.80	2.40	1.80	.....	.....	2.00	12.00	Mother Kadel	100	3.80	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	2.50	15.00
Benison	100	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.80	1.20	4.00	24.00	Mrs. Mark's Memory	100	3.40	2.80	2.00	1.40	1.20	.60	2.00	12.00
Benjamin Britton	Each	1.50	1.25	1.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Myrna Fay	100	10.00	8.80	7.60	6.20	5.20	4.40	12.00	75.00
Bernadette	100	15.00	12.00	9.00	7.00	6.00	5.00	15.00	.....	New Europe	100	3.40	2.80	2.00	1.40	1.20	.60	2.00	12.00
Black Opal	1000	32.00	25.00	20.00	15.00	.....	.....	2.00	12.00	October Sunshine	Each	.60	.50	.45	.40	.30	.25	75.00	.....
Blue Beauty	1000	3.20	2.40	2.00	1.40	1.00	.60	2.00	12.00	25	10.00	8.80	7.60	6.20	5.00	4.00	.....	.....
Buena Vista	100	6.20	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.20	1.20	10.00	60.00	Orange Gold	100	6.00	5.00	4.40	3.80	3.00	2.40	8.00	50.00
Burma	1000	50.00	40.00	32.00	25.00	18.00	10.00	.....	.....	Oregon Gold	100	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	3.00	18.00
Candy Heart	1000	3.80	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.40	.80	.....	.....	Oriental Pearl	100	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.20	1.80	1.20	4.00	25.00
Casablanca	1000	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	2.50	15.00	Pandora	100	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	3.00	18.00
Chamouny	100	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	2.00	12.00	Picardy	1000	3.00	2.40	2.00	1.40	1.20	.60	2.50	15.00
Commando	1000	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	Prosperity	100	20.00	16.00	12.00	9.00	7.00	6.00	15.00	.....
Convoy	1000	3.80	3.00	2.20	1.80	1.20	.80	2.50	15.00	Purple Supreme	100	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	2.50	15.00
Dieppe	1000	5.20	4.20	3.20	2.40	1.80	1.20	5.00	30.00	Red Charm	100	3.80	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	2.50	15.00
Elizabeth the Queen	1000	4.40	3.40	2.80	2.20	1.40	1.00	3.50	25.00	Rosa Van Lima	100	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.60	2.00	12.00
Errey's Scarlet	1000	35.00	28.00	22.00	18.00	12.00	8.00	.....	90.00 Bu.	Salman's Glory	100	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.40	1.80	7.00	40.00
E. C. Cole	1000	5.00	4.00	3.20	2.40	1.80	1.20	5.00	.....	Silentium	100	.....	2.80	2.20	1.60	1.00	.60	2.00	12.00
Evangeline	Each	1.50	1.50	1.25	1.25	1.00	1.00	.....	.....	Silver Wings	1000	4.80	3.80	3.00	2.20	1.80	1.20	6.00	36.00
Fair Angel	1000	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.40	1.00	.60	2.00	12.00	Snow Princess	100	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.60	2.00	12.00
Firebrand	1000	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.40	1.00	3.50	24.00	Spic & Span	100	3.80	3.40	3.00	2.60	2.20	1.80	80.00	480.00
Florence Nightingale	Each	.60	.50	.40	.30	.25	.20	75.00	.....	Spotlight	100	4.40	3.40	2.					

SILENTIUM (Pfizer). White with red blotch in throat. Five to seven open on a tall wiry stem. Excellent cut flower and a good commercial.

SILVER WINGS (Ritsema). Another cream white sport of Picardy. Similar to Leading Lady but shade whiter and slightly ruffled. Destined to be a fine cut flower for commercial or garden.

SNOWFLAKE (K. & M.). Another white from Holland similar to Snow Princess but with different bloom form. Rather early and looks like a good commercial variety.

SNOW PRINCESS (Pfizer). Creamy white. Has been one of the best standard cut flower whites for years and still very popular.

SPIC AND SPAN (Carlson). New deep ruffled pink. Somewhat like New Era, one of its parents. Has been a great winner the past two years and destined to be one of the finest of the new introductions. Don't miss this one.

SPOTLIGHT (Palmer). Clear medium deep yellow with small scarlet blotch in throat. Beyond a doubt the finest yellow we have to date and almost perfect as a cut flower for home garden or commercial. Everybody will be growing this fine glad. Opens six to eight well placed blooms on tall spike. Good keeper when cut in tight bud or open and will be popular for years. Your glad garden will not be complete without Spotlight.

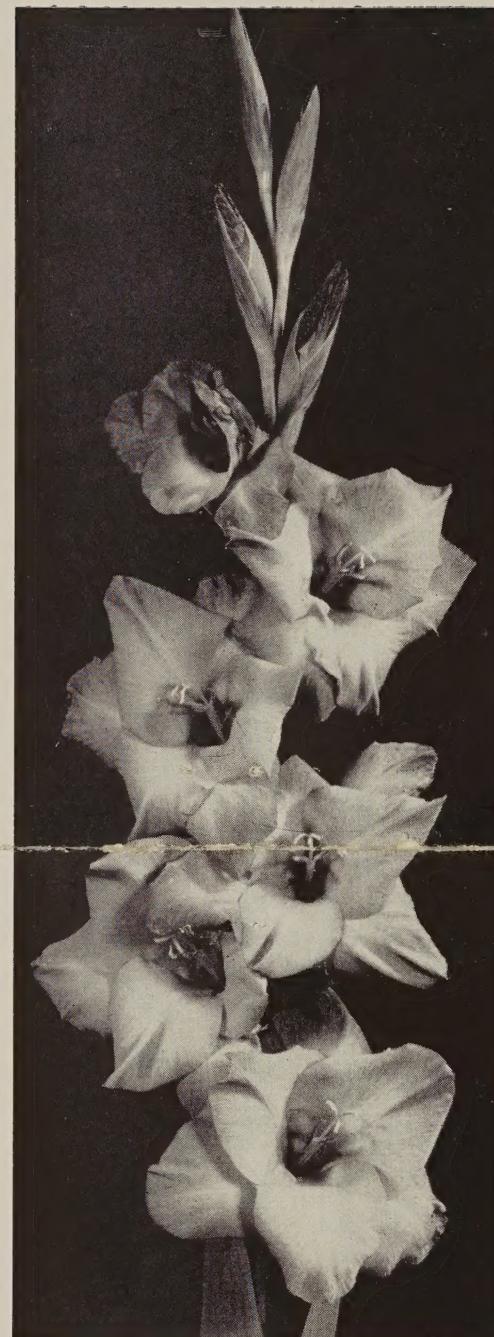
STRAWBERRY PEACH (Salbach). Large wide open beautifully bright orange pink with soft scarlet blotch and feather. Opens six to eight blooms of heavy texture and well placed on a tall straight stem. A strong grower and opens to tip when cut in bud. No doubt will become a fine commercial.

SUN SPOT (Roberts). Light apricot buff with rose spot in throat. One of the newer sensations that has swept the country with its many show winnings. No doubt one of the best glads to date and one that will be grown for years, both commercially and in the garden. Don't miss it.

SUSQUEHANNA (Herridge). Clear peach buff with creamy throat. An unusual color that is well liked by everyone. Many open on a tall well placed spike and a very good all around variety.

TAKINA (N.Z.). Immense rosaline purple. Huge florets up to six inches and one of the better ones from down under.

TIVOLI (K. & M.). Lovely clear light rose. The color of old Coryphee but straight and more beautiful. Tall and straight, with up to 10 open on a well placed spike. A very acceptable addition to this color class. Will be in great demand when stock is more plentiful.



ORANGE GOLD

TOPFLITE (La Salle). Beautiful, clear light rosy pink blending to a cream throat with a small rose blotch. Opens up to eight wide open blooms on a slender, wiry spike. Has made a grand show record and should be a grand commercial.

TROJAN (Snyder). Coral pink blending to a creamy buff throat. Opens up to eight florets on a long flower head. A terrific propagator and good germinator.

TRUELOVE (Klein). Clear, somewhat ruffled early shell pink of a fine shade and form. Opens six to eight wide open blooms on fairly tall slender stem. Extremely popular with the florists and truly one of the best of the newer commercials.

VALERIA (Pruitt). Light scarlet of an unusual shade. Valuable as an early cut flower and is grown by the million in Florida and considered their best red for cutting. A healthy grower but only fair propagator.

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TO OUR CUSTOMERS

This is our 26th annual spring list and is the only price list we issue. We grow gladiolus exclusively and our **SUPERIOR QUALITY** is known the nation over by both growers and home gardeners alike. Our hundreds of repeat orders from our customers year after year convinces us that our bulbs must be tops.

All our stock is grown from small bulbs and bulbets in the fertile **WILLAMETTE VALLEY** of Oregon. Grown under the most modern irrigation system and stored in our spacious warehouse especially constructed to properly handle glads.

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All stock in this list is priced f.o.b. Salem, Oregon, with transportation charges collect, except pool car shipments, which are prepaid to Chicago or Trenton. Please do not include money for these charges as it is impossible to estimate the amount.

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